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- 1. It has been proposed that an Institute for Line Telecommunications Technica (Institut fuer Drahtnachrichtentechnik) be founded in the near future. The Institute will be situated in Berlin.l
- 2. The Institute will take over research in this field at present carried out by the

Fernmeldewerk Leipzig

Werk fuer Fernmeldewesen HF, Berlin-Oberschoeneweide T.G.F. (Telegraphie-Geraetefertigung), Berlin-Lichtenberg Zentrallaboratorium fuer Fernmeldewesen, Berlin-Treptow

- 3. The Director of the Institute is to be Director Hardt of the T.G.F., assisted by Dr. Ulrich of the Werk HF.
- 4. It is hoped that centralization will result in better and quicker results in research in this field. The old decentralized system has proved very unsatisfactory.

Comments.

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- 1. The formation of the new Institute was decided by a committee consisting of Helmut Wunderlich, Minister for General Engineering; Professor Hans Fruehauf, Professor Kurt Freitag, and Haegermann (fnu), HV RFT.
- 2. TGF is the new title of the Technisches Buero fuer Nachrichtenmittel (TRN) Berlin O 112, Neue Bahnhofstrasse 9-10.

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